

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

SONY BMG MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT, a)
Delaware general partnership; ARISTA)
RECORDS LLC, a Delaware limited liability)
company; BMG MUSIC, a New York general)
partnership; UMG RECORDINGS, INC., a)
Delaware corporation; and WARNER BROS.)
RECORDS INC., a Delaware corporation,)

No.: 08 cv 4280

Plaintiffs,

vs.

GARY WELCH,

Defendant.

NOTIFICATION OF AFFILIATES – DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Pursuant to FED.R.CIV.P. 7.1 and Local Rule 3.2, Plaintiffs identify below their parent corporations and any entity that owns 5% or more of any Plaintiff.

SONY BMG MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT

ARISTA RECORDS LLC

The following companies are parents of, or partners in Plaintiff ARISTA RECORDS LLC: BMG Music; SONY BMG MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT; Ariola Eurodisc LLC; USCO Holdings Inc.; BeSo Holding LLC; Sony Music Entertainment Inc.; Bertelsmann Music Group; Bertelsmann, Inc.; Arista Holding, Inc.; Zomba US Holdings, Inc.; Bertelsmann AG; and Sony Corporation, of which only Sony Corporation is publicly traded. Sony Corporation is publicly traded in the U.S.

BMG MUSIC

The following companies are parents of, or partners in Plaintiff BMG MUSIC: Ariola Eurodisc LLC; USCO Holdings Inc.; BeSo Holding LLC; Sony Music Entertainment Inc.; Bertelsmann Music Group; Bertelsmann, Inc.; Arista Holding, Inc.; Zomba US Holdings, Inc.; Bertelsmann AG; and Sony Corporation, of which only Sony Corporation is publicly traded. Sony Corporation is publicly traded in the U.S.

SONY BMG MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT

The following companies are parents of, or partners in Plaintiff SONY BMG MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT: USCO Holdings Inc.; BeSo Holding LLC; Sony Music Entertainment Inc.; Bertelsmann Music Group; Bertelsmann, Inc.; Arista Holding, Inc.; Zomba US Holdings, Inc.; Bertelsmann AG; and Sony Corporation, of which only Sony Corporation is publicly traded. Sony Corporation is publicly traded in the U.S.

UNIVERSAL

UMG RECORDINGS, INC.

The following companies are parents of, or partners in Plaintiff UMG RECORDINGS, INC.: Polygram Holding, Inc.; Universal Music Group, Inc.; Vivendi Holding I Corp.; Vivendi Holdings Company; Vivendi Holding S.A.S.; SPC S.A.S.; and Vivendi S.A., of which only Vivendi S.A. is publicly traded. Vivendi S.A. is publicly traded in France.

WARNER

WARNER BROS. RECORDS INC.

The following companies are parents of, or partners in Plaintiff WARNER BROS. RECORDS INC.: WMG Acquisition Corp.; WMG Holdings Corp.; and Warner Music Group Corp., of which only Warner Music Group Corp. is publicly traded. Warner Music Group Corp. is publicly traded in the U.S.

Respectfully submitted,

SONY BMG MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT;
ARISTA RECORDS LLC; BMG MUSIC;
UMG RECORDINGS, INC.; and WARNER
BROS. RECORDS INC.

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